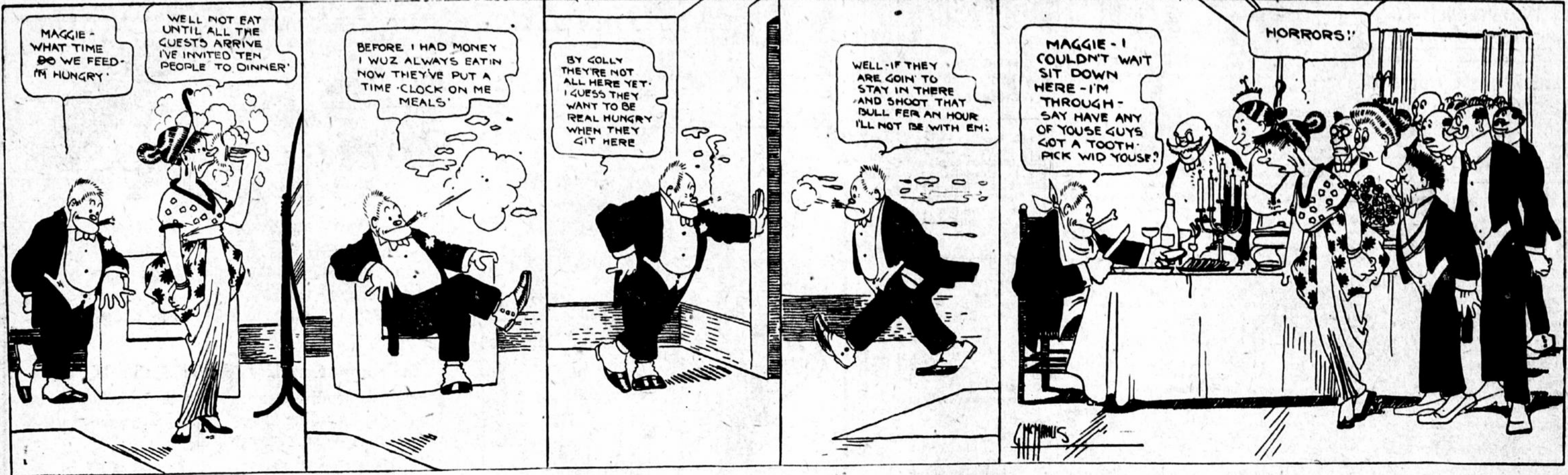


## Bringing Up Father

By George McManus



## BEGAN EARLY

The constitution of the United States provides that "No person shall be a Senator who shall not have attained the age of thirty years." Henry Clay served as United States Senator from December 29, 1806, to March 3, 1807. He was at that time only 29 years old, having been born April 12, 1777.

The price for your want ad tomorrow will be 1/2 cent a word.

## Wanted

BUFF PLYMOUTH ROCK COCKER-els, 3 for \$4.50 for \$5. Mrs. Jasper Christy, Florida, Ia.

WANTED-TO BUY HIDES AND calves. Boston Market No. 1 at 123 East Second. Both phones 60.

## For Sale

FOR SALE-3 REGISTERED COWS and two 2-year-old heifers and some grade cows, all Jerseys. Frank Rector, Florida, Iowa.

FOR SALE-EIGHT BLACK ANGUS registered bulls. T. E. Putman, Belknap, Iowa.

## For Sale

BARRED ROCK EGGS FOR SALE from big boned birds. 75c per 15. \$4.50 per hundred. Grace Emmons, Libertyville, Iowa.

FOR SALE-110 ACRES ONE-HALF mile from city. Call new phone 665-Y.

THOMAS O. BROWN, AUCTIONEER. New phone 2029-Y. Ottumwa.

WANTED-TO SELL MY NORMAN stallion. Will sell at a bargain if sold soon. He is a sure breeder and well broke to work. Geo. W. Wiseman, Agency, Ia., R. R. 1. Agency phone.

FOR SALE-CLOVER AND TIMOTHY seed. C. E. Miller, Ottumwa, R. R. 1.

## Twenty-Five Years Ago

— From The Courier Files —

February 28—The great C. B. & Q. strike was inaugurated one year ago, and although the strike has been declared off for about two months, we don't see that very many of the strikers have obtained employment. The strike has been a gigantic struggle, costing millions of money, and has accomplished no good for either side of the controversy.

The insurance companies have settled with C. E. McDaniels for his loss by fire on his boiler shop, and he has bought the lot adjoining from W. B. Bonfield, where he has commenced rebuilding. His shop formerly was 30x50 feet. The new shop will be 30x65 feet, with an annex 20x30 feet, about doubling the capacity of floor space. He will have his works in full blast again in a few days.

The fast mail ran from Creston to Villages Tuesday, a distance of thirty-three miles, in thirty-seven minutes. It reached the transfer at Council Bluffs at 8:05, making the run of 103 miles in two hours and thirty minutes. This is the best record ever made over the western division with a train of three cars.

March 1—Our citizens will be pleased to learn that Dr. E. T. Edgerly, who graduates from the Chicago Medical college in March, has been appointed interne, or assistant physician, at Cook county hospital, Chicago.

The jubilee singers at the Y. M. C. A. last night drew a full house and netted enough money for the association to pay for all its trouble. Of the concert itself nothing can be said in its praise that has not been said already many times before.

The city council ought to pass an amendment to the snow ordinance that nobody should walk upon the sidewalks until it is done snowing and the walks are swept off. It is mighty hard to clean the walks after the snow has been tramped down.

March 2—Good butter is now pretty high and a scarce commodity on the market. There is no good reason for such a state of affairs when feed is so plenty. Farmers do not pay as much attention to this branch of business as they should do. It certainly is profitable to make butter when it can be sold at wholesale for 20c per pound.

The last masquerade of the season will be given by the Turnverein on March 5—Schwabkey's orchestra. Masks will be raised and only respect-

able people will be admitted:

March 4—The city election is going off very quietly, with the prospect of a heavy vote being cast. There is a good deal of scratching and it is hard to make a guess as to the outcome. In the second ward four candidates are being run for alderman, with the chances in favor of W. M. Reese, republican. In the first ward it is thought that Garland, republican, will give Pickler, a democrat, a close run. The vote stood as follows just before going to press: first ward, 291; second ward, 452; third ward, 408; fourth ward, 275; fifth ward, 249; sixth ward, 240.

March 5—The republicans had almost a clean shucking yesterday. They elected mayor, solicitor, assessor, and five out of the six aldermen. The democrats elected the treasurer and one alderman. The council now stands with nine republicans and three democrats. The total vote cast for mayor was 2,629.

March 6—Nine homeopathic doctors were ground out at Iowa City yesterday and three of them were ladies. Since the new depot has been opened a good many citizens have concluded that the electric lights on streets leading to the hotels ought to burn all night. It certainly would be a good thing for persons arriving on the late trains.

Billy Carnes, the rustler in the vehicle business, is now fitting up his large and handsome ward four car and will have on exhibition a big stock of pheasants, buggies, carts, etc.

EDDYVILLE.

Frank Berry returned Tuesday from Kansas City where he has been the past week attending the automobile show.

Supt. Emma Nye was a business caller in Grinnell Tuesday.

David Moran was a business caller in Oskaloosa Tuesday.

Mrs. E. R. Reed of Mason City is visiting this week at the home of her mother, Mrs. J. R. Roberts. The little son of Mrs. Reed is seriously ill with pneumonia.

W. G. Berry has returned from Rochester where he has been at the hospital with the hope of benefiting his health.

Atty. C. E. Hatchett transacted bus-

ness in Albia Tuesday.

Mrs. Chas. Poulton and Mrs. Wm. Allison of Ottumwa spent Tuesday in Eddyville visiting their father, Mr. True who is still seriously ill. Geo. Webber came down from Grinnell Tuesday for a short visit with her mother, Mrs. Lydia Webber. He will complete his course in the college at Grinnell this spring.

## STOCKPORT.

Mrs. Peter Nelson of Batavia, mother of Mrs. J. H. McCarty is visiting her this week. A large crowd attended the Workman sale Saturday. Dr. Harlan and Dr. Graves, dentist, of Hillsboro, were in the city Saturday on business.

Earl Bales went to Ottumwa Saturday. Thomas Lazenby of Hillsboro was in the city Tuesday evening. John Clark of Keokuk spent Tuesday night with his sister Mrs. J. C. Silver. J. B. Fox came home from Russell where he visited with his son Harve for the past ten days.

Wick Whitaker of Hillsboro visited in Stockport Friday.

Pitt Plummer of Ft. Madison attended the sale of Dick Workman Saturday.

Miller Beckley and son John Thornton and Will Pope of Hillsboro attended the Workman sale.

Dr. Harlan and family of Libertyville visited here Sunday.

## BLOOMFIELD.

Byron Battin has traded his acreage property in Bloomfield to Sheriff Osa Dunlavy for property in Drakesville.

Ira Rankin of Montana who is attending the Iowa Wesleyan college at Mt. Pleasant visited over Sunday with his uncle Osa Dunlavy, returning to his work Sunday morning.

Jesse Bengt, Orlin Reed, I. T. Bartin, and W. B. Shreeves went to West Grove Saturday night on business connected with the Odd Fellows lodge there.

Sheriff Dunlavy went to Ottumwa Saturday evening and brought Arthur Wright, back who had been taken to the Ottumwa jail to await the grand jury session which will commence Monday.

Atty. Steck of Ottumwa is in this city attending the district court this week. James Denny went to Ottumwa Saturday to visit friends over Sunday expecting to return Sunday, but the snow storm prevented, him coming until Monday.

Scott McFarland and daughter, Ethel, were here Saturday attending to business interests.

## CHARITON.

Herman Schwartz of Ward, returned home yesterday after a brief visit at the home of his father, August Schwartz.

Mrs. Grace Mast, of Headquarters, Neb., has returned home after a pleasant visit with Mrs. Mamie Barkley. Mr. and Mrs. Don Gibbs have returned from their wedding trip to Chicago. They also visited in Corydon with his parents. They have secured rooms at the residence of Mrs. Laura Bellman where they will reside for a time. Mr. Gibbs has resumed his duties as a third trick operator at the Q depot.

The Misses Helen Van Arsdale, Laura Kull and Alma Clay and Mrs. Leona Smith hostesses Tuesday at the home of Mrs. Smith to the members of the Pandora club and a few friends at a colonial party. Flags, hats, etc., formed the tasteful decorations. Delicious refreshments were served, and the occasion was one of great pleasure.

Mrs. E. H. Perry of the Depot Hotel entertained a few lady friends at a "Washington" luncheon Tuesday. The place cards were dainty and represented pictures of George and Martha Washington. The decorations were appropriate to the occasion and were tastefully arranged.

Miss Rhea Oppenheimer, who is teaching in the Clarinda public schools, spent Saturday and Sunday in Chariton with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Eli Oppenheimer.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Andrew are the proud parents of a fine baby boy, who arrived at their home on Friday evening, Feb. 20, 1914. Mrs. Andrew was formerly Miss Laura Hees.

Miss Edith Enslay has returned from a ten days' visit with friends in Des Moines. She has accepted a position as saleslady in the O. J. Israel & Co. store, and will enter upon her duties in a few days.

F. J. Parker spent last week in Mur-

ray with his mother and other relatives.

County Clerk Goltz has issued marriage licenses to Geo. Coles, of Lacona and Zora Baxter of Oakley and to Chas. Little and Ethel Hall both of Lincoln township. Both couples were wedded on Sunday.

## HIGHLAND CENTER.

Marion Handy left Monday for Arkansas City, Kans., to make his future home.

Mrs. W. Jones and children spent Saturday with her parents Mr. and Mrs. W. Moffatt of Parson.

Mr. and Mrs. Ragen and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Baker, and Mrs. Ed Ragen and Bert Shuttlefield were passengers to Ottumwa Friday.

Rev. E. J. Shook of Ottumwa was entertained at the H. Spillman home Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Bacon left Monday for their home near Iowa Center, Wyoming after an extended visit with relatives here.

Mrs. A. J. Rogers who has been very ill is improving.

Mrs. J. P. Wycoff and daughter Carrie were passengers to Ottumwa Monday.

A. C. Steck of Ottumwa was here on Friday.

Miss Sidney Malin spent Sunday with her sister Mrs. Geo. Holtzhouse and family near Parson.

J. Ward shipped a car of hogs to Ottumwa Friday.

Miss Mildred Estes has returned home after a week's visit with her sister Mrs. J. Mills and family of near Martinsburg.

A. P. Packer was a passenger to Sigourney Monday.

## BONAPARTE.

Miss Mary Meek entertained the Kensington club Thursday evening.

Mrs. Morton J. Hughes of Storm Lake, Ia., is enjoying a visit with her parents Dr. and Mrs. R. N. Cressap.

Mr. and Mrs. Ram Carmack of Mrs. R. E. Meek of Keosauqua visited relatives here last week.

W. O. Thompson was hostess to the Whist club Tuesday afternoon.

Carl Vickers fell Saturday while skating on the river and broke his left arm.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Bradford of Sioux City are visiting the Walter Bradford family.

L. W. Brattain and family moved here last week from Palski, Ia.

The Presbyterian church held their annual business meeting last Wednesday evening at the church. After the business part of the meeting light refreshments were served.

Mrs. H. G. Denny departed Tuesday for Minnora, Wis., for a visit with her parents.

MILLIONAIRE BEER

MAKER IS CALLED

Cleveland, March 2.—A cerebral hemorrhage caused the death of Otto I. Leisy, millionaire brewer, nationally known as a German-American for his benefactions. He died on the day on which he formally presented to the city \$50,000 for the construction of a model play ground. He was 50 years of age.

OUT FOR LEGISLATURE.

Des Moines, March 2.—Thomas Fairweather, secretary of the Des Moines baseball club today announced himself as a candidate for the seat in the Iowa state senate which will be vacated by the retirement of Senator John Sullivan announced Saturday.

Mr. Fairweather has lived in Iowa for

## Legal Notices

Original Notice. In the district court of the state of Iowa, in and for Wapello county: March term, A. D. 1914.

Howell Brewer, Plaintiff vs. Della Brewer, Defendant.

To Della Brewer: You are hereby notified that the petition of the plaintiff in the above titled cause is filed in the office of the clerk of the district court in the state of Iowa, in and for Wapello county, claiming of you a divorce from the bonds of matrimony now and heretofore existing between he and the defendant on the ground of desertion and asking general equitable relief.

And unless you appear thereto and defend before noon of the second day of the next term being the March term of said court, which will commence at Ottumwa, Iowa, on the 23d day of March, A. D. 1914, default will be entered against you and judgment rendered thereon.

Dated February 7, 1914.

W. W. Epps, Attorney for Plaintiff.

## LEVI CARTER IS SHOT IN LEFT EYE

COLORED MAN VICTIM OF SHOOTING AFFRAY SUNDAY AFTER-NOON—CONDITION SERIOUS.

## POLICE GIVE CHASE

Officers and Ambulance Pursue Wounded Man Several Blocks Before Capture—Assailants Still at Large.

An argument that started early Sunday morning at the rear of 415 East Main street, resulted in a shooting affray about 2 o'clock in the afternoon and Levi Carter a well known colored man lies seriously wounded at the Ottumwa hospital, a victim of the marksmanship of "Goldie" Johnson who with the third member of the fighting party has made good his escape.

Carter was shot just above the left eye and thus far the bullet remains lodged within his head. An X-ray picture taken today may reveal the location of the ball. Carter was somewhat better this morning when seen at the hospital and has not lost consciousness from the wound, although he claims to have but a vague idea of the events that culminated so disastrously to himself.

Feared He Was Dying.

After the shooting had been reported to the police station and the ambulance called for, Officer George Ryttenburg was forced to give a chase for several blocks before he could catch the wounded man and take him to the hospital. The near tragedy assumed a comic aspect when Carter suddenly disappeared in appearance, with blood streaming from his left eye, ran wildly about as if pursued and shouting at the top of his voice: "I'm a dyin, I'm a dyin, and fighting off everyone who attempted to catch and hold him while he ran.

The police learned from colored men in the vicinity of the shooting that Carter had made a gun play on two colored men, one of whom was Johnson and later replaced the revolver in his pocket. It was after the gun had been put away that the unknown member of the trio is said to have placed his open knife at Carter's throat and ordered Johnson to take the pistol from Carter's pocket. Upon taking the gun Johnson is alleged to have shot Carter in the left eye, the light immediately coming to an end and all in the vicinity scattering.

Carter Not There.

The shooting was reported and the ambulance called about 2 o'clock Sunday afternoon and while Chief Gallagher started out toward the Burlington yards to locate the men who did the shooting, Officer Ryttenburg with the ambulance went to the Milwaukee passenger station where it was reported that the wounded man had fallen in the mud. Arriving at the station Mr. Ryttenburg found no trace of Carter but ordered Officer W. Maloney to get in the ambulance with him and aid in running down the wounded man.

The ambulance started down Mill street and turned up Union in the wake of Carter who ran ahead screaming in great fear: "I'm a dyin, I'm a dyin," until he reached the Hooge barn near the Rock Island freight house where Andrew Walker and Charley Johnson, both colored were attempting to hold him. He continually beat these men off until Chief Gallagher took him in tow. Officers Ryttenburg and Maloney soon arrived in the ambulance. Chief Gallagher and Mr. Ryttenburg with the assistance of Officer Maloney placed Carter in the ambulance and he was hurried to the Ottumwa hospital.

Had Little Argument.

Carter when seen this morning at the hospital seemed very much improved and while his wound has an ugly appearance, he seemed little the worse for his flirtation with death. The bullet penetrated the left side of his forehead just over the eye but seems to have missed the brain as he retains consciousness and talked quite freely. He said that he suffers

## PUBLIC SALE

Having sold my farm and finding myself overstocked I will sell at public auction on my farm, located four and one-half miles northeast of Agency, three miles southwest of Bladenburg and three and one-half miles east of Round Point school house, on

THURSDAY, MARCH 5th

at 11 a. m., the following described property to-wit: 106 HEAD OF CATTLE—Consisting of 25 head of coming two-year-old short horn steers, good ones; 50 head of calves that have been on feed all winter, looking fine, some good heifers among them; 30 head of good fletters and young cows that will calve soon. All of this stock is in good flesh and looking fine.

MISCELLANEOUS—Some corn, some oats some hay, one good carriage, one Bauscher feed mill, (this mill is in first class condition and will grind 100 bushels of grain per hour), some farm machinery and household goods, about 25 bushels of Alsike clover seed, the kind that sticks to the ground and is a money maker, 8 full-blooded Rhode Island Red cockerels, and other articles.

Lunch by Ladies' Aid society of Agency M. E. church. TERMS—A credit of 12 months time will be given on all sums over \$10, purchaser giving bankable note to draw 7 per cent interest from date of sale and 8 per cent if not paid when due. Sums of \$10 and under, cash in hand. No property removed until terms are complied with.

Fred J. Fink, Proprietor

W. H. COOPER, Auctioneer. WATSON ENYART, Clrsk.

What do you need in supplies for your automobile? I have one of the best of tire pumps, spark plugs, batteries, battery testers, tire gauges, tire patches, gas engine packing and many other things and I am prepared to save you money on casings and inner tubes.

Old Phone 251-Red  
New Phone 664.

JAS H. SHEPHERD  
"New Shepherd's Ranch."  
209-211 W. Main St. Ottumwa, Ia.

## Public Sale

I will sell at public sale on what is known as the old Dave Bear farm six miles northwest of Drakesville and 3 miles east of Ash Grove on

Saturday, March 7

Commencing at 10 o'clock sharp, the following described property:

21 Head of Cattle—10 milch cows, 6 fresh now and 4 to be fresh soon; 3 yearling heifers and 8 calves.

32 Head of Hogs—25 shoats weighing from 85 to 125 lbs.; 6 sows in farrow and one full blood Poland-China male hog.

Farming Machinery—1 farm wagon, one buggy, one spring wagon, two walking plows, 1 sulky plow, 1 Dain corn cutter, 1 bob sled, 1 McCormick binder, 1 McCormick mower good as new, 2 cultivators, 1 Dain sweep rake, feed rake, 1 dehorning chute, 2 steel harrows, 2 hay rakes and other articles. Some household and kitchen furniture.

About 100 bushels of yellow corn, more or less.

Terms—8 months credit will be given on all sums over \$10, purchaser giving note with approved security. 6% interest from date of sale, 2% discount on sums over \$10. Sums of \$10 and under cash in hand without discount. Terms must be complied with before removing property from premises. Free lunch on grounds.

Henry Schuttlefield, Prop.

Henry Curry, Auct. W. P. Caldwell, Clerk.

but little from the wound but he is quite unstrung and appears to be fearful of the results. In discussing the trouble that resulted so disastrously to himself, Carter was at first loath to talk but later admitted that he and a colored fellow called "Goldie" Johnson and a big colored man whose name he did not know but is also sometimes called "Goldie" because of gold work on his teeth, had some trouble, "a little argument Sunday morning.

"We didn't have any trouble in the afternoon," said he, "but in the morning we had an argument and when the fuss started after dinner I was just going from the hallway at 415 East Main street to the stone house at the rear when these two colored men coming down from there attacked me. The big fellow put his knife to my throat and Johnson took the gun from my pocket and shot me. I don't remember much about it after that, but we didn't have no trouble when the shooting happened. I don't know those fellows very well. They both come from Mississippi and Johnson worked at the packing house."

When taken in the ambulance Carter was without hat coat and vest and one shirt sleeve was open leaving the arm bare. His sole thought seemed to be to get away from everyone.

Read the Courier Want Ads for Profit—Use Them for Results.

Dr. D. E. Graham  
Hours—9 to 12 a. m.; 1 to 6 p. m.  
Ennis Office Bldg., Ottumwa, Iowa.

Morris Williams  
HORSE MARKET

FARM MARES IN BEST DEMAND.

Horses are now selling lower on the market than they did in January and the first half of February. A condition at which I am not at all surprised. In fact I repeatedly made the statement in the early part of the year that I expected to see prices go lower when the spring trade got fairly started. Three-fourths of the farmers over the country were inclined to not accept the drop horses prices had already taken since last fall, and to hold for the later trade, hoping for the usual spring advance. The time for the advance now having arrived, with prices growing weaker, there is a disposition to flood all markets, especially with common stock.

We will have only a moderate supply this week.

MORRIS WILLIAMS, Ottumwa, Iowa.